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appeal from a sentence by the courts of the State, or from the directions, order, and doings of said superintendent of health shall not affect the power of said superintendent under the provisions of this chapter, after the expiration of said period of 30 days, to cause the same to be forthwith filled up and destroyed, the foregoing provisions being in the interest of the public health of said city of Pawtucket. The costs of filling up or destroying any such cesspool, privy vault, or other arrangement for the reception of said drainage, as provided for in the preceding sections of this chapter, may be recovered by the city of Pawtucket of the owner of such premises, in an action of assumpsit, to be brought in such court as may have jurisdiction thereof.

**Vessels—Removal and Cleaning of. (Act R. I. Gen. Assembly, May 1, 1914.)**

SEC. 16. Whenever, in the opinion of the superintendent of health, the presence of any vessel or hulk, in any particular locality within the city of Pawtucket, whether the same be used for navigation or otherwise, shall be prejudicial to the public health, it shall be lawful for the superintendent of health to issue an order in writing, directed to the owner, master, or occupant of such vessel or hulk, ordering him to remove the same immediately to such place as shall be designated in the said order and to cleanse such vessel or hulk in such manner as shall be in such order prescribed.

In case the owner, master, or occupant of such vessel or hulk shall neglect or refuse to remove and cleanse the same within 24 hours after such order shall have been served upon him, such owner, master, or occupant shall forfeit and pay, to and for the use of the city, a penalty of not less than \$10 nor more than \$20 for each subsequent 24 hours during which he shall neglect or refuse so to comply therewith, and the superintendent of health is hereby authorized to remove and cleanse the same; and the expense of such removal and cleansing shall be paid by the city treasurer, and shall be recovered from the owner, master, or occupant of such vessel or hulk, by suit in the name of the city treasurer, to the use of the city of Pawtucket, before any court of competent jurisdiction.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J.

**Bakery Products—Protection of. (Reg. Bd. of H., Feb. 24, 1914.)**

That article 7 of the sanitary code be amended by adding a section to be known as section 21, and to read as follows:

"All bakers' goods, such as bread, rolls, cake, pastry, etc., offered or intended for sale at retail shall be securely wrapped before delivery, and every person or persons, firm or corporation selling or delivering such bakers' goods at retail shall provide a closed receptacle for the storage of all said bakers' goods and shall not at any time allow the said bakers' goods to remain exposed for a longer time than is necessary incident to the sale thereof, nor shall they allow any such bakers' goods to be handled by any person other than the dealer or their agents."

PHOENIX, ARIZ.

**Health Officer—Powers and Duties. (Ord. 1, Apr. 16, 1914.)**

(m) The city health officer shall be a licensed physician, and shall have supervision and control over the public health and sanitation of the city.

He shall make and enforce all needful rules and regulations for the prevention of and to prevent the spread of any and all contagious or infectious diseases among persons and domestic animals.

He shall have power to establish quarantine and isolate any person or persons affected with any contagious, infectious, epidemic, or endemic disease; to isolate, quarantine, kill, or remove any animal or animals affected with any contagious or infectious disease when necessary to protect public health; to remove or cause to be removed any dead, decayed, or decaying body or any decayed or decaying substance, or any other noxious or offensive substance or thing which may endanger the health or safety, or interfere with the comfort of the public; to condemn and cause to be destroyed any impure or diseased article of food that may be offered for sale or held for consumption.

He shall examine into all nuisances, sources of offense and discomfort, and causes and sources of sickness and disease, and shall make such regulations regarding the same as in his judgment shall be necessary for the preservation and promotion of the public health, safety, and comfort of the city.

He shall have power to enter upon all public and private property or premises to examine into any nuisance, source of filth, or cause or source of sickness, or disease found therein or thereon, and may require the owner or occupant thereof at his own expense to remove the same.

He shall inspect as often as he shall deem necessary, and oftener if required so to do by the commission or city manager, all food products sold, offered for sale, or held or designed for consumption or use by persons or animals, and shall inspect all water and water supplies used or designed for use within the city, and shall do and perform all things necessary or proper to prevent the contamination thereof.

He shall inspect the condition of all sewers, lavatories, urinals, sinks, privies, vaults, sewer connections, fixtures and appliances, and sewage effluent, and do any and all things necessary or proper to place and keep the same in a sanitary condition, and shall, whenever he may deem it necessary and oftener when required by the commission or city manager, inspect all buildings and premises, public and private, within the city, and make necessary and proper rules and regulations for the placing and maintaining of the same in a sanitary condition, and shall have power to enforce all such rules and regulations.

He shall have power to destroy or cause to be destroyed all food products determined by him to be unfit or improper for consumption by persons or animals, and shall have power to summarily abate any and all nuisances and sources or causes of food or water contamination endangering the health or safety or interfering with the comfort of the public.

He may provide a temporary hospital or place of reception and detention for persons exposed to or infected with infectious or contagious diseases and may require the removal of any person or persons exposed to, infected with or suffering from any contagious or infectious disease thereto, and cause his or their detention therein until all danger to the public therefrom is removed.

He shall gather, compile, and tabulate full and accurate vital statistics and data, showing all births, deaths, accidents, and contagious or infectious diseases within the city and the time and location thereof.

He shall promptly turn over to the city treasurer any and all moneys of or belonging to the city collected or received by him, and take receipt therefor.

He shall keep full and accurate books, records, and accounts showing in detail all inspections and examinations made by him or under his direction, and the time, place, and result thereof, all rules and regulations issued or promulgated by him, all moneys collected or received by him, and when, from whom, and on what account received, and the disposition made thereof, and of all other acts and proceedings done, had or taken by him in his official capacity, and shall at least once in each month, and oftener if so required by

the commission or the manager, render to the commission and the manager a written statement and report of all his transactions and proceedings for the then preceding month.

He shall have and exercise such further and additional powers and shall do and perform such other and further duties as may be granted to or required of him by the constitution of Arizona, the laws of Arizona, the city charter, and the commission. He shall at all times be subject to the supervision and direction of the city manager, and he shall also do and perform such additional duties as may from time to time be required of him by the city manager.

### **Burial—Prohibited Within City. (Ord. 15, June 29, 1914.)**

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared a nuisance and it shall be unlawful for any person to bury the body of a human being within the corporate limits of the city of Phoenix.

SEC. 2. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not to exceed \$300, or shall be imprisoned in the city jail not to exceed 300 days, or shall suffer both such fine and imprisonment.

### **PITTSBURG, KANS.**

### **Privies—Care and Disposal of Contents—City Scavenger. (Ord. 1336, Feb. 18, 1914.)**

SECTION 1. The owner, agent, lessee, occupant, or person having the care or charge of any property in the city of Pittsburg, Kans., upon which is situated any privy not connected with a sewer shall provide or cause to be provided for such privy a box or some suitable receptacle for excrement, other than a vault, to prevent the said excrement from escaping or being exposed to public view, but no vault shall be dug, sunk, or constructed in the ground or earth for such purpose. All privies not connected with a sewer shall be located within not more than 5 feet of an alley, so that the scavenger may have easy access to said privies, and said privies shall be provided with easily removable or easily opened trapdoors. Every person owning, using, or occupying, or having the care or charge of any property upon which a privy is situated, which privy does not comply with the provisions of this ordinance, shall, within 30 days from the taking effect of this ordinance, place and construct such privy in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 2. The owner, agent, lessee, occupant, or person having the care or charge of any property within the city of Pittsburg, Kans., upon which is situated a privy not connected with a sewer shall clean and disinfect, or cause to be cleaned and disinfected, such privy of all excrement at the following times: Privies used in connection with private residences shall be cleaned and disinfected during the months of March, June, July, August, October, and December of each year, or oftener if necessary; privies used in connection with boarding, rooming, or apartment houses shall be cleaned every 15 days during the months of May, June, July, August, and September, and once each month during the other months of the year, or oftener if necessary.

SEC. 3. The board of commissioners of the city of Pittsburg, Kans., are hereby authorized to employ a city scavenger, whose duty it shall be to clean and disinfect the privies in the city of Pittsburg, Kans., as provided in this ordinance. Said city scavenger shall, before entering upon his duties, give to the city a